(i) For work of value from Rs. 5.00 lakh to Rs. 50.00 lakh	Advertisement to be made in one local, one regional and one Hindi newspaper.
(ii) For work of value from Rs. 50.00 lakh to Rs. 1.00 crore	Advertisement to be made in one local, one regional, one Hindi and one national newspaper from any metropolitan city.
(iii) For work of value of Rs. 1.00 crore and above	Advertisement to be made in one local, one regional, one Hindi, one national newspaper from New Delhi, Kolkata, Mumbai, Chennai and weekly magazine.
(iv) For Global Tender	Advertisement to be made in one local, one regional, one Hindi, one national newspaper from New Delhi, Kolkata, Mumbai, Chennai and Indian Trade Journal on special cases as required by the tenders.

Gold Deposits in Bastar

†4392. SHRI MOTILAL VORA: Will the Minister of COAL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news-item captioned "sone ka Bhandar mila Baster Mein" published on page number 10 of 'Rashtriya Sahara' dated 6th March, 2002;

(b) if so, the quantity of gold expected in this area;

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(c) the special steps taken by Government of safeguard the interests of local people effected by extraction of the gold; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL AND MINES (SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD): (a) and (b) The Geological Survey of India (GSI) has reported occurrences of gold around Sonadehi, Kumarkatta-Parvelli-Gurpher, Sheetalpur-Bheldapani-Bazhar-Chancher and Puro-Michgaon Blocks in Baster region of Chhattisgam. The investigations carried out so far have only indicated presence of low-grade gold ore, which may not be economically viable to mine.

(c) and (d) As no mining activity has been initiated, the question does not arise.

Increased activities of Pakistani and Chinese Armies on Border

†4393. SHRI P.K. MAHESHWARI: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that besides the activities of the Pakistani Army, activities of the Chinese Army have also increased on the Indian Border after the bitterness crept in the Indo-Pak relations;

(b) if so, the steps taken by Government in this direction; and

(c) the results thereof?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES): (a) to (c) There are no reports to indicate any increase in activities of the Chinese Army on the Indian border.

Brahmos Missile

4394. SHRIMATI VANGA GEETHA: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Indian and Russia have jointly developed the Brahmos missile;

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